

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Tien-Jen Cheng et al.

Appln. No.: 10/707,892

Art Unit: 2815

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Examiner: M. C. Landau

For: DEVICE WITH PROBABLE AREA
ARRAY PADS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to further prosecution, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

An Appendix including one (1) sheet of one (1) replacement figure is attached following page 11 of this Amendment.